

People are overly dependent on Technology

Outline

1 Introduction

Hook

People are overly dependent on

General statement

It has negative implications

Thesis statement: ~~People are overly dependent on technology due to some factors. It has negative implications on human life.~~

However, by taking some measures people can become less dependent on technology.

2 Overview of ~~importance of~~ technology in ~~human life and~~ ^{humans' life} implications of its over use

3 Reasons behind ~~people overly~~ dependence on ~~Technology~~

(a) Excessive use of ~~social media~~ platform for ~~political~~ updates and information

(Pew Research Report: campaigning through media platform for general election)

(b) Economic opportunities through digital media has increased like online transactions

[OECD Digital Economic outlook 2024]

(c) ^{Inter}acting with other through social media has increased as compared to face-to-face meetings

[Hootsuite's Digital Report]

People are heavily relied

(d) ~~People~~ heavily rely on technology for security purposes.

[Biometric authentication, surveillance cameras]

(e) Business centers are increasingly leveraging technology to enhance operations and efficiency.

(advertising, data analysis tool)

(4) Effects/Implication of overdependence on Technology

Upsurges

(a) Political polarization and media sensation ~~upsurge~~ due to ~~overuse~~ of media platform

(Misuse of Twitter in Pakistan and other countries)

(b) ~~Economic losses occur due to~~
~~scam and fraud through digital~~
~~platform~~

(Payment fraud and Control Survey
2024 AFP 80% organization victim of payment
fraud)

(c) Students rely on technology to
complete their projects assignments so
creativity decreases rapidly.

(Chatgpt)

People

(d) ~~Teens~~ prefer social media platform
for conversation over face to face meeting
that create disruption in social life

(FOMO, anxiety, social
penetration Theory)

(5)

Way forward to create balance
for using technology in right way

- i. Balanced life
- ii. policies regarding social media
- iii. Extra-curricular activities
- iv. awareness and education among peoples
about harm of over-dependence on
technology.

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